



Public Participation Opportunity
Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC)
Division of Water Resources (DWR)
Notice Requesting Public Comments on Draft Permit Actions
February 27, 2019

Public Notice Number: **MMXIX-008**

Expiration Date: **April 03, 2019**

The purpose of this notice is to advise the public of the following proposed permit actions and to solicit comments and information necessary to evaluate the potential impact of the proposed activities on human health and the environment. A list of Notices of Intent (NOIs) received by the DWR is available on our DataViewer web page :

<http://www.tennessee.gov/environment/article/tdec-dataviewers>

Please bring this notice to the attention of persons you believe will be interested.

Individual Inter-Basin Water Transfer Permit

Proposed Reissuances

Applicant Name	City of Kingsport			
Permit Number	IWT000003	Permit Writer Initials	JCM	Discharger rating Minor
County	Sullivan			EFO Name Johnson City
Street Address/Location	Kingsport			
City and/or Zip Code	Kingsport, TN 37660			
Description of Activity	Transfer 0.15 million gallons per day			
Effluent Description	transfer of 0.15 MGD			
Receiving Stream	Transfer from the Holston/Watauga River Rm 6.2 to the Town of Jonesborough which is located in the French Broad/Nolichucky River basin.			
Facility Latitude		Facility Longitude		

Individual NPDES Permits

Proposed Reissuances

Applicant Name **Clay County Schools**
Permit Number **TN0024058** Permit Writer Initials **JWBe** Discharger rating **Minor**
County **Clay** EFO Name **Cookeville**
Street Address/Location **6000 Clay County Hwy.**
City and/or Zip Code **Red Boiling Springs, TN 37150**
Description of Activity **treatment of school wastewater via extended aeration package unit, recirculating sand filter, and chlorination**
Effluent Description **treated domestic wastewater from Outfall 001**
Receiving Stream **Trace Creek at mile 2.6**
Facility Latitude **36.5700** Facility Longitude **-85.7800**

Applicant Name **Grainger County Board of Education**
Permit Number **TN0060933** Permit Writer Initials **JWBe** Discharger rating **Minor**
County **Grainger** EFO Name **Knoxville**
Street Address/Location **7925 Highway 131**
City and/or Zip Code **Washburn, TN 37888**
Description of Activity **treatment of domestic wastewater by the activated sludge process.**
Effluent Description **treated domestic wastewater from Outfall 001**
Receiving Stream **Williams Creek at mile 5.8**
Facility Latitude **36.2900** Facility Longitude **-83.5900**

Applicant Name **Kingswood Home for Children**
Permit Number **TN0061026** Permit Writer Initials **JWBe** Discharger rating **Minor**
County **Grainger** EFO Name **Knoxville**
Street Address/Location **Tate Springs area of Bean Station**
City and/or Zip Code **Bean Station, TN 37708**
Description of Activity **treatment of domestic wastewater by extended aeration**
Effluent Description **treated domestic wastewater from Outfall 001**
Receiving Stream **mile 6.0 of German Creek Embayment of Cherokee Lake via a drainage ditch**
Facility Latitude **36.3400** Facility Longitude **-83.3400**

Applicant Name **Occidental Chemical Corporation**
Permit Number **TN0081361** Permit Writer Initials **JAH** Discharger rating **Major**
County **Humphreys** EFO Name **Nashville**
Street Address/Location **1900 Dupont Road**
City and/or Zip Code **New Johnsonville, TN 37134**
Description of Activity **Manufacture of liquid chlorine and caustic soda from rock salt by the membrane cell process**
Effluent Description **hydrogen fueled boiler blowdown, brine waste water, spent caustic from EVS/Neutralizers, SRS purge, pump seals & misc, DI skid purge, process water filter purge, storm water, river water, and cooling tower blowdown from Outfall 001**
Receiving Stream **Tennessee River/Kentucky Lake Rivermile 98**
Facility Latitude **36.0400** Facility Longitude **-87.9800**

Applicant Name	Waste Management, Inc. of Tennessee		
Permit Number	TN0081060	Permit Writer Initials	JCM Discharger rating Minor
County	Benton	EFO Name	Jackson
Street Address/Location	2410 Highway 70 West		
City and/or Zip Code	Camden, TN 38320		
Description of Activity	The landfill is a permitted solid waste disposal site with approximately 320 acres permitted for solid waste disposal with 9 stormwater outfalls, 7 of which include treatment to adjust low pH.		
Effluent Description	Stormwater runoff collected in 11 retention/sedimentation basins and discharged through 9 outfalls.		
Receiving Stream	tributaries of Cane Creek, South Cane Creek, and Lick Creek.		
Facility Latitude	36.0500	Facility Longitude	-88.1400

Applicant Name	Williamson County Schools		
Permit Number	TN0067164	Permit Writer Initials	AEWF Discharger rating Minor
County	Williamson	EFO Name	Nashville
Street Address/Location	6668 Arno-College Grove Road		
City and/or Zip Code	College Grove, TN 37046		
Description of Activity	Septic tank and recirculating sand filter system and ultraviolet disinfection		
Effluent Description	treated domestic wastewater from Outfall 001		
Receiving Stream	unnamed tributary at mile 0.65 to Overall Creek at mile 0.8		
Facility Latitude	35.7900	Facility Longitude	-86.6800

Applicant Name	Williamson County Schools		
Permit Number	TN0057835	Permit Writer Initials	AEWF Discharger rating Minor
County	Williamson	EFO Name	Nashville
Street Address/Location	6262 Arno Road		
City and/or Zip Code	Franklin, TN 37064		
Description of Activity	Treatment of domestic wastewater by recirculating sand filter and ultraviolet disinfection ; Permit continues conditions for temporary waste water disposal during construction of sewerage system upgrades.		
Effluent Description	treated domestic wastewater from Outfall 001		
Receiving Stream	Harpeth River at mile 101.9		
Facility Latitude	35.8500	Facility Longitude	-86.7500

State Operation Permits

Proposed Reissuances

Applicant Name	Rural Life Foundation Inc. - Harbert Hills Academy		
Permit Number	SOP-10054	Permit Writer Initials	AKS Discharger rating Minor
County	Hardin	EFO Name	Jackson
Street Address/Location	3575 Lonesome Pine Road		
City and/or Zip Code	Savannah, TN 38372		
Description of Activity	Operation of a sewerage collection system, treatment lagoon and spray irrigation disposal system with holding pond and dedicated disposal fields for a privately-owned boarding school and nursing home.		
Wastewater Description	No discharge allowed		
Receiving Stream	NA; 1000 feet from unnamed branch to Smith Fork		
Facility Latitude	35.2100	Facility Longitude	-88.0600

Applicant Name	Speedway LLC		
Permit Number	SOP-14003	Permit Writer Initials	ARa
County	Jefferson	Discharger rating	Minor
Street Address/Location	Deep Springs Road and Whillock Road		
City and/or Zip Code	Dandridge, TN 37725		
Description of Activity	Septic tanks, grease trap, 2 Quanics recirculating media filters and drip irrigation with UV disinfecting.		
Wastewater Description	No discharge allowed from this system		
Receiving Stream	N/A		
Facility Latitude	36.0100	Facility Longitude	-83.5300

POTW - Pretreatment Program Approvals:

None

The Division of Water Resources is authorized to approve local POTW Pretreatment Programs for the administration and enforcement of the National Pretreatment Standards of Performance for industrial users of the respective Publicly Owned Treatment Works listed in this notice. Additionally, the POTW Programs are required to prevent the introduction of pollutants into the POTW's which will interfere with their operation, including the use or disposal of sludge, and prevent the introduction of pollutants into the POTW's which will pass through the treatment works or be otherwise incompatible. All POTW Pretreatment Programs approved are in accordance with the Tennessee Water Quality Control Act, the federal Clean Water Act, and appropriate regulations.

End of List

How to Comment:

TDEC is requesting public comment on this permit action. Obtaining a broad range of facts and opinions on Agency actions is one of the best ways to ensure quality decisions. Persons wishing to comment on the proposed action are invited to submit comments in writing to the Division of Water Resources at William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 11th Floor, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102, Attn: Public Notice Coordinator, by fax number (615) 532-0686, or by E-mail at Water.Permits@tn.gov. Comments must be received by the public notice expiration date (April 03, 2019).

How to Request a Public Hearing:

Interested persons may request in writing that the Director of the Division of Water Resources hold a public hearing on any application. The request must be filed by the public notice expiration date (April 03, 2019) and must indicate the interest of the party filing it and the reasons why such a hearing is warranted. When there is significant public interest for a hearing, a hearing will be conducted according to Division of Water Resources Rule 0400-40-05-.06(12). Public hearings will be announced through another public notice.

How the Department will Proceed:

The Director of the Division of Water Resources will determine the final permit action after considering comments submitted during the comment period, the hearing record, if any, and the requirements of the Federal and State acts and regulations.

To Obtain Permit Details:

Copies of the application(s) and draft permit(s) are also available for public inspection by contacting TDEC at <http://state.tn.us/environment/field-offices.shtml>, by calling 1-888-891-TDEC (8332), or by visiting the following locations during normal business hours:

Environmental Field Office - Chattanooga
1301 Riverfront Parkway, Suite 206
Chattanooga, TN 37402
(423) 634-5745
Bledsoe, Bradley, Grundy, Hamilton, Marion, McMinn, Meigs, Polk, Rhea, Sequatchie

Environmental Field Office - Columbia
1421 Hampshire Pike
Columbia, TN 38401
(931) 380-3371
Bedford, Coffee, Franklin, Giles, Hickman, Lawrence, Lewis, Lincoln, Marshall, Maury, Moore, Perry, Wayne

Environmental Field Office - Cookeville

1221 South Willow Avenue

Cookeville, TN 38506

(931) 432-4015

Cannon, Clay, Cumberland, Fentress, Jackson, Macon, Overton, Pickett, Putnam, Smith, Van Buren, Warren, White

Environmental Field Office - Jackson

1625 Hollywood Drive

Jackson, TN 38305

(731) 512-1300

Benton, Carroll, Chester, Crockett, Decatur, De Kalb, Dyer, Gibson, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson, Henry, Lake, Lauderdale, Madison, McNairy, Obion, Weakley

Environmental Field Office - Johnson City

2305 Silverdale Road

Johnson City, TN 37601

(423) 854-5400

Carter, Greene, Hancock, Hawkins, Johnson, Sullivan, Unicoi, Washington

Environmental Field Office - Knoxville

3711 Middlebrook Pike

Knoxville, TN 37921

(865) 594-6035

Anderson, Blount, Campbell, Claiborne, Cocke, Grainger, Hamblen, Jefferson, Knox, Loudon, Monroe, Morgan, Roane, Scott, Sevier, Union

Environmental Field Office - Memphis

8383 Wolf Lake Drive

Bartlett, TN 38133-4119

(901) 371-3000

Fayette, Shelby, Tipton

Environmental Field Office - Nashville

711 R.S. Gass Boulevard

Nashville, TN 37243

(615) 687-7000

Ceatham, Davidson, Dickson, Houston, Humphreys, Montgomery, Robertson, Rutherford, Stewart, Sumner, Trousdale, Williamson, Wilson

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State of Tennessee Antidegradation Policy:

Antidegradation determinations have been made in regard to the permits referenced in this Public Notice. Tennessee's Antidegradation Statement is found in Chapter 0400-40-03-.06 of the Rules of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation. The primary purpose of the antidegradation policy is to establish a greater level of protection for those waters that are identified to be of high quality. Generally, there are two types of high quality waters. Some high quality waters are those at near pristine conditions. These Outstanding National Resource Waters (ONRWs) are specifically designated by the Tennessee Board of Water Quality, Oil and Gas and are afforded the greatest level of protection. No new discharges or expansion of existing discharges are allowed to result in degradation of the existing water quality. Waters determined to be high quality due to specialized uses and/or unique features and are identified by the Department as Exceptional Tennessee Waters are also protected against degradation.

Some degradation may be allowed in the Exceptional Tennessee Waters only if the Tennessee Board of Water Quality, Oil and Gas deems it economically and socially necessary. Other surface waters not specifically identified and/or designated as high quality are referred to as waters with available or unavailable conditions. Generally, new discharges or increases in existing discharges may be allowed in waters not identified as ONRWs or Exceptional Tennessee Waters. The Division of Water Resource's evaluation of such discharges may include the following provisions:

- The proposed lowering of water quality by the discharge is necessary for economic growth or community benefit; the proposed discharge can not be mitigated by reasonable pollution prevention measures; and
- There is no other reasonable non-discharge alternative available to prevent the new/increased discharge to waters with available or unavailable conditions.

In all cases, the proposed discharge must meet water quality standards and fully protect all classified uses. Information used by the Division of Water Resources in evaluating any of the above provisions is available upon request.

State of Tennessee Policy of Non-Discrimination:

Pursuant to the State of Tennessee's policy of non-discrimination, the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, religion, color, national or ethnic origin, age, disability, or military service in its policies, or in the admission or access to, or treatment or employment in its programs, services or activities. Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action inquiries or complaints should be directed to the EEO/AA Coordinator, Office of General Counsel, William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 2nd Floor, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102, 1-888-867-7455. ADA inquiries or complaints should be directed to the ADA Coordinator, Human Resources Division, William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 2nd Floor, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102, 1-866-253-5827. Hearing impaired callers may use the Tennessee Relay Service (1-800-848-0298).

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